

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA  
INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION

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IN RE: COOK MEDICAL, INC, IVC FILTERS  
MARKETING, SALES PRACTICES AND  
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

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Case No. 1:14-ml-2570-RLY-TAB  
MDL No. 2570

This Document Relates to Plaintiff(s)  
Ryan Gross

Civil Case # 1:20-cv-1342

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**SHORT FORM COMPLAINT**

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COMES NOW the Plaintiff(s) named below, and for Complaint against the Defendants named below, incorporate The Master Complaint in MDL No. 2570 by reference (Document 213). Plaintiff(s) further show the court as follows:

1. Plaintiff/Deceased Party:

Ryan Gross

2. Spousal Plaintiff/Deceased Party's spouse or other party making loss of consortium claim:

N/A

3. Other Plaintiff and capacity (i.e., administrator, executor, guardian, conservator):

N/A

4. Plaintiff's/Deceased Party's state of residence at the time of implant:

South Carolina

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5. Plaintiff's/Deceased Party's state of residence at the time of injury:

South Carolina

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6. Plaintiff's/Deceased Party's current state of residence:

South Carolina

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7. District Court and Division in which venue would be proper absent direct filing:

South Carolina District Court – Florence, SC

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8. Defendants (Check Defendants against whom Complaint is made):



Cook Incorporated



Cook Medical LLC



William Cook Europe ApS

9. Basis of Jurisdiction:



Diversity of Citizenship



Other: \_\_\_\_\_

- a. Paragraphs in Master Complaint upon which venue and jurisdiction lie:

Venue: Paragraph 27

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Subject Matter Jurisdiction: Paragraph 23

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Personal Jurisdiction: Paragraphs 24 and 26

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- b. Other allegations of jurisdiction and venue:
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10. Defendants' Inferior Vena Cava Filter(s) about which Plaintiff(s) is making a claim

(Check applicable Inferior Vena Cava Filters):

- ☐ Günther Tulip® Vena Cava Filter
- ☒ Cook Celect® Vena Cava Filter
- ☐ Gunther Tulip Mreye
- ☐ Cook Celect Platinum
- ☐ Other:

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11. Date of Implantation as to each product:

06/03/2010

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12. Hospital(s) where Plaintiff was implanted (including City and State):

Grand Strand Medical Center - Myrtle Beach, SC

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13. Implanting Physician(s):

Richard J. Wunder MD

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14. Counts in the Master Complaint brought by Plaintiff(s):

- ☒ Count I: Strict Products Liability – Failure to Warn
- ☒ Count II: Strict Products Liability – Design Defect
- ☒ Count III: Negligence
- ☒ Count IV: Negligence Per Se

☒ Count V: Breach of Express Warranty

☒ Count VI: Breach of Implied Warranty

☒ Count VII: Violations of Applicable South Carolina (insert State)  
Law Prohibiting Consumer Fraud and Unfair and Deceptive Trade  
Practices

☐ Count VIII: Loss of Consortium

☐ Count IX: Wrongful Death

☐ Count X: Survival

☒ Count XI: Punitive Damages

☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ (please state the facts supporting  
this Count in the space, immediately below)

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this Count in the space, immediately below)

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15. Attorney for Plaintiff(s):

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Respectfully submitted,

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